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1. EMBOFF HAS RECEIVED A CONFIDENTIAL LETTER DATED AUGUST 29,
1977, FROM THE FOREIGN MINISTRY ON A LOC AGREEMENT. TEXT FOLLOWS:

QUOTE REFERRING TO THE INFORMAL PAPER CONCERNING LINES OF
COMMUNICATION AGREEMENTS WHICH YOU HANDED OVER TO ME IN JANUARY
OF THIS YEAR I CAN INFORM YOU THAT WE HAVE GIVEN THE MINISTRY OF
DEFENCE A COPY OF THE PAPER AND DISCUSSED THE MATTER WITH THEM ON
SEVERAL OCCASIONS.

WE ARE NOW INFORMED BY MOD THAT THE DEFENSE COMMAND IS IN TOUCH
WITH AMONG OTHERS USEUCOM, HQ AFNORTH AND HQ BALTAP ABOUT LOC
AGREEMENTS AND THAT PROGRESS IN THE MATTER WILL BE MADE AS
SPECIFIC INFORMATION CONCERNING POSSIBLE US REINFORCEMENTS IS
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MADE AVAILABLE.

I WISH TO ADD THAT THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE AS WELL AS THE FOREIGN
MINISTRY IS MOST CONCERNED THAT ADEQUATE ALLIED REINFORCEMENTS
SHOULD BE AVAILABLE FOR THE BALTIC AREA EARLY IN A POSSIBLE CRISIS
AND THAT ALL NECESSARY PREPARATIONS FOR THEIR RECEPTION SHOULD
BE MADE IN PEACETIME.

WHEN THE NECESSARY INFORMATION FROM THE MILITARY SOURCES IS AT HAND, A RATHER COMPLICATED COORDINATION OF MILITARY AND CIVILIAN PLANNING WILL HAVE TO BE UNDERTAKEN. AS OF NOW I CAN ONLY ASSURE YOU THAT WE WILL BE READY TO MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO FACILITATE SATISFACTORY ARRANGEMENTS. END QUOTE

2. LETTER WAS SIGNED BY JORGEN ABRAHAMSEN, NATO AFFAIRS OFFICER IN THE FOREIGN MINISTRY.
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